

INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT

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PCT/AU2004/000578

A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER

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B. FIELDS SEARCHED

Minimum documentation searched (classification system followed by classification symbols)

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Documentation searched other than minimum documentation to the extent that such documents are included in the fields searched

Electronic data base consulted during the international search (name of data base and, where practicable, search terms used)

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C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

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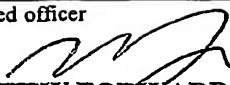
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A	US 5267570 A (PRESTON) 7 December 1993 Column 3 line 57 to column 4 line 15	
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A	JP 2003-052656 A (FUJI XERXOX CO LTD) 25 February 2003 Abstract	
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